

ONLY MAN HAS DIGNITY; ONLY MAN, THEREFORE, CAN BE FUNNY—Father Knox

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Cold, wet spring slows growth in gardens and fields

It's been an average year for precipitation according to the National Weather Service, in Portland, but "average" the hard way—hard for the ski industry last winter, and now hard for local farmers. Precipitation dried up during the first three months of the year—when it would have been snow on the ski slopes—making the period among the most arid since the weather service began keeping records. But wet came down in buckets during May and June, which ended up among the top five wettest two-month periods on record.

Thanks to modern snowmaking, the ski industry survived the winter drought. Sunday River Skiway even managed to attract record numbers of skiers once again, but not as many as they would have liked to have seen.

For local farmers, however, the spring and early summer deluge has meant rotting seeds, slower starting crops, soggy, often unworkable, fields and more bugs and disease to cope with.

Frank Wertheim, extension educator with the University of Maine Cooperative Extension Division, reports that farmers were late getting their seeds in because of wet fields. Many seeds didn't germinate, he said, and those that did grew slowly, due to the cold, cloudy weather that accompanied the rain.

The damp also meant more disease and plenty of insect pests. For the most part hay grew well, he said, but when it was ready to be cut many fields were still too wet for farmers to work in. As a result the hay had to be cut after it had passed its peak quality, and the second crop got off to a delayed start.

The economic impact of all this is still uncertain, he said, but it is likely to fall most heavily on vegetable growers. Hayens should still be able to get in their usual two mowings, but vegetable crops will probably be smaller and come later to market.

The rain delay has already pushed back by a week the opening of the new Bethel Farmers' Market.

Market Manager Kate Slatery said growers report most crops are lagging, and potato beetles and aphids are flourishing.

Now that the sun has shown its face for a few days, some crops are starting to catch up, but for others it's already too late.

Mrs. Slatery reports that her own cauliflower and broccoli plants started slowly but are already starting to bolt, due to the recent hot weather.

Nonetheless, she said, the farmers' market will be open Saturday, with fresh, locally grown offerings, including strawberries, beans, lettuce, other leafy greens, perhaps even peas.

As the season goes on there will be plenty more of Nature's bounty to choose from, she said, "but these are all locally grown products, so don't look for fresh corn the first week."

Stephens Memorial joins trash recycling effort

People generate trash, a huge amount of trash. Disposing of all this "stuff" is expensive and the costs of solid waste disposal continue to escalate. In an effort to reduce the volume of solid waste, lessen the environmental impact of burying this material in landfills and to generate dollar savings, the Norway-Paris Transfer Station is encouraging businesses to help in turning trash into cash.

Stephens Memorial Hospital, in Norway, has joined the recycling program and is currently handling paper and cardboard separately from the rest of the non-medical waste. Cardboard boxes are cut up to lie flat and each day deposited in a trailer especially made to store this material.

In addition, computer paper is collected in clear plastic bags in each department. This paper, along with other paper collected in colored plastic bags, is also stored in the trailer. To protect patient confidentiality, any paper dealing with patient records is shredded before it is bagged.



HILDA BROWN, head of food service for SAD #44, recently received a plaque for 30 years of service. Making the presentation at a recent school board meeting is Merion Brown, chairman of the board.



TEDDYS AND TYKES, ON PARADE—Scores of local youngsters—and their special stuffed friends—happily marched along in last Wednesday's Teddy Bear Parade, sponsored by the Bethel Library. The parade is one of a number of summer activities designed to help youngsters learn to feel at home at the library.

Groups pushing final planning for Mollycodd Day

What does a full day of activities including a parade, a long jumping contest, a lumberjack competition, a foot race for children and adults, an old time fiddler's contest, a square dance exhibition, fireworks, children's activities, as well as lots of great food, crafts and games sound like? A true New England community festival, which is what will take place in Bethel on Saturday, July 15.

Mollycodd Day, which is almost 40 years old, is scheduled full of fun events for all ages to enjoy, from dawn to after dusk. The sponsoring organizations—the Bethel Lion's Club, the Bethel Rotary Club, the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, and the Bethel Area Health Center—have ensured, through their planning, that there will be something for everyone. Special guests this year are the Sesame Street characters, thanks to WCBB-TV; and Ronald McDonald, thanks to LeClerc Management.

Applications are available at the Chamber of Commerce office and area businesses for the Mollycodd Day Classic, a one-mile race for ages 14 and under, as well as for the five-mile race for all ages. Thanks to sponsors Jack Frost Ski Shops, Central Maine Power, Michelob, Seltzer & Rydholm, Groan and McGurn and area businesses there will be T-shirts, medals and prizes for participants.

Also available at the Chamber is information pertaining to the lumberjack competition for area loggers. Prize money will be awarded thanks to sponsors Boise Cascade, Bethel Furniture Stock, Andover Wood Products, Bear Paw Lumber Co. and J.A. Thurston Co. One of the favorite events is the old time fiddler's contest, which offers great entertainment as well as ample prize money for winners, thanks to the Bethel Lion's Club. Those wishing to compete can sign up that day, prior to the beginning of the contest, which is scheduled to begin at 5 p.m.

Due to the generosity of the Bethel Inn and Sunday River Ski Resort, a display of fireworks will culminate this wonderfully full day of fun. For information concerning times and details of Mollycodd Day, contact the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, weekdays between 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., at 832-2222.

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New dell to open in former country store

The former Edelweiss Country Store will soon be opened as "Almost Audreys," a deli and country store.

The people behind the idea are Audrey Sundman and Kevin McMahon, who have been managing the Sudbury Inn. They told the Bethel Planning Board last Wednesday night they didn't plan any major changes in the type of commercial activities that would take place at the store. The entrepreneurs said they did consider adding extra seating space, but board members quickly pointed out that more seats would mean a requirement for more parking spaces—which are not readily available.

And if there was no need for extra parking, the board didn't have to concern itself with any approvals. "If he doesn't increase the seating..." board member Dennis Doyon began, "he wouldn't come under the Site Plan (Review Ordinance)." board member Summer Burgess concurred.

The board then voted, 6-0, as a consensus that the new establishment would not be a change of use or a significant expansion and therefore did not require an application for Site Plan Review approval.

The board also voted, 6-0, that the Chamber of Commerce's temporary information kiosk—on loan from Sunday River Ski Resort—did not require Site Plan Review approval. The information kiosk—which the skiway uses as a ticket booth—will be placed in the parking lot at The Only Place, in West Bethel.

Board members could find no niche in the ordinance covering such a temporary project, particularly since it was to be located in a spot where there was ample parking. "Since we can't identify it [the information kiosk] as a commercial venture, it [the ordinance] doesn't apply..." period," said board member Don Feeney.

The proposed sand and gravel pit Keith Dargatzis wants to develop in West Bethel, in the corner of land where the Pleasant River meets the Androscoggin River, came before the board for a second reading. Billy Stowell, who presented the plan for Mr. Dargatzis, said the project would be undertaken in two phases: an inland phase, away from the riverbank; and a shoreline phase. State approval would be needed before the second phase

Conservation Corps to cut trail to summit of Goose Eye Mountain

The Maine Conservation Corps is planning a number of projects in the Bethel area this summer.

Under the supervision of the state Bureau of Public Lands, the corps will construct a hiking trail to the summit of Goose Eye Mountain, in Riley Township.

In Grafton Notch State Park, under the supervision of the state Bureau of Parks and Recreation, the corps will re-establish scenic vistas and lookouts.

With help from the U.S. Forest Service, the corps will maintain hiking trails, snowmobile trails, picnic areas, buildings and wildlife habitat in the Evans Notch Ranger District of the White Mountain National Forest.

In the towns of Fryeburg, Brownfield and Hiram, the corps will work along the banks of the Saco River, improving campsites, building signs, improving access and removing litter and fallen trees.

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Both men were taken to Oxford County Jail, where they were released on bail later Wednesday.

According to Stephen McCausland, spokesman for the Maine Department of Public Safety, the incident allegedly started shortly before 9 p.m. Tuesday, when Randy Mills attempted to take his son from a home on Bird Hill Road. Police were called, and Mr. Mills, who was reported to have a shotgun with him, left a few minutes later and returned to his own home.

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At this point the trooper—concerned that the young boy might be in the house with Mr. Mills—called for back-up, and the state police tactical team was dispatched.

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He was then arrested. According to spokesman McCausland, the younger brother was arrested because he violated police instructions in a situation that they regarded as potentially very dangerous.

Five members of the state police tactical team eventually arrived on the scene from various locations around the state.

Their attempts to contact Randy Mills were unsuccessful, and at 12:45 they entered the house, where they found him passed out, according to Mr. McCausland.

A second shotgun was also found in the house, when the police entered, Mr. McCausland said.

Bugbites driving moose and deer onto the blacktop

This year's thick swarms of mosquitoes and blackflies are driving moose out from the woods and onto the highways, resulting in a high number of automobile-moose collisions.

"It's wicked," said Stephen McCausland, spokesman for the Maine Department of Public Safety. There's been a substantial increase in such accidents—and, to a lesser extent, car-deer accidents—especially in the northern parts of the state, he said.

The accidents have resulted in at least two deaths, including that of a young mother whose car was struck by a tractor-trailer swerving to avoid a moose.

Along I-95, between Lincoln and Carmel, there have been five such accidents reported in the last two weeks alone, Mr. McCausland said.

Hereabouts, moose are somewhat less common than in the north, but they are still seen frequently along, and sometimes on, local roads. This year they have often been spotted along the long-stretching of Rte. 28, between Bethel and Locke Mills, and last week a young moose was struck and killed on Rte. 26 just below P.H. Chadbourne & Co.

Trash pick-up in Newry set to begin this week

On July 4 Newry residents celebrated their semi-independence from the Bethel landfill—with curbside trash pickup scheduled to begin throughout town.

Until last week, Newry residents hauled their own trash to the Bethel landfill; beginning this week, D & E Sanitation will pick up their trash (right at the curb for most residents) and haul it to the Norway-Paris landfill.

Rapidly diminishing space at the Bethel landfill was the primary reason for Newry's exclusion from the facility. However, until June 30, 1990, residents will still be allowed to dispose of their white goods, tires, demolition/construction debris, and wood and brush at the Bethel landfill. A fee—payable at the Bethel Town Office—will be charged for white goods and tires.

The pick-up service will include all non-commercial household refuse and waste. It will be paid for by the town.

Approximately 100 roadside pick-up sites have been identified. In addition to these sites, dumpsters have been set up at a six other locations in town.

The selectmen and Solid Waste Committee are also exploring the possibility of holding periodic "Dump Days," when trash other than household trash would be picked up.

At least once a week, the trailer is hauled to the transfer station. According to Larry Harthorne, this material will account for a savings of over 100 dumpster loads a year that won't have to be hauled. Before the recycling program began, this paper and cardboard was combined with other trash in the dumpster. The savings to the hospital on these 100-plus dumpster loads not taken will quickly pay for the building of the trailer.

Bill Damon, of Norway-Paris Solid Waste, Inc., hopes to encourage other businesses and individuals to join in the recycling program. "Right now computer paper brings \$140/ton; colored ledger paper, \$80/ton; cardboard, \$32.50/ton; and clean newspapers, \$15/ton. These prices are lower than they were last year but the tipping fees we have to pay have increased. The net result is that recycling pays. The more you recycle, the less you tip, and recycled materials brought in \$28,000 just last year.

"Norway Saving Bank was the first area business to recycle, and I'm glad to see Stephens Memorial Hospital join in this effort," said Mr. Damon. "I understand SAD #17 will start in the fall and I hope others will follow suit. I only ask that people take the time to separate off their waste."

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BAGS AWAY!—Taking advantage of their last chance to deposit household waste at the Bethel landfill, many Newry residents made their final dump runs last Wednesday. This week Newry becomes the first town in the area to have town-wide curbside trash pick-up (used tires and whitegoods will still go to the Bethel facility). The merry bagmen shown above are, left to right, First Selectman Steve Wright, Eric Wright, Tink and Mike Conkright, and Solid Waste Committee Chairman Sig Sysko.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

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Opinions

A note from the publisher

Ahh for the good old days when we could burn flags with impunity. Who can forget those heady days of 1980

when, in response to the hostage situation at the American Embassy in Tehran, Americans in this country regularly went out and burned Iranian flags as a visible statement of their anger at the ayatollah.

And what about the years of protest and counter-protest during the Vietnam War? Some people were burning American flags while others were burning Viet Cong flags. It was a heyday for free expression, and for flag-makers.

Now comes George Bush, with his eyes fixed firmly on his popularity polls, and says we need a constitutional amendment saying it's okay to burn flags, but not American flags. This is like saying you can express opinions on one side of an issue, but not on all sides of an issue.

Of course there are those who say the flag is a sacred symbol and should not be destroyed or degraded as a way of expressing opinion. As a person who makes his livelihood with words, I wholeheartedly support the notion that national arguments, such as debates, letters to the editor, editorials, etc.

If it were up to me, I would prefer to see all violent confrontations—from domestic disputes to world wars—settled with an exchange of words, instead of an exchange of blows and bombardments. But not everyone believes in the efficacy of words. Some people sputter when it comes time to speak, and some are functionally illiterate and cannot write a letter to me let alone an impassioned argument on some burning issue of the day. For these, direct action is the preferred way of making a statement.

Still, there are two alternative paths of direct action: one is to strike out at the person of one's discontent, such as one's child or one's national adversary; a second path is to strike out at a symbol, such as the child's bike or the nation's flag.

Burning a flag is a lot better form of protest than injuring a fellow human being. The act should remain as a protected form of expression.

In proposing a constitutional amendment to prohibit people from burning the flag, the President is restricting citizens' behavior—something rarely done in the Constitution.

That great document, which has served as a guide for democracy for 200 years, is basically a rulebook setting out what government can and cannot do. In the 26 amendments to the Constitution, only one restricts the actions of citizens: the 18th Amendment prohibiting the manufacture, sale or transportation of liquor. This amendment was, of course, later repealed.

The 18th Amendment also restricted individual freedoms, of some, by making slavery illegal throughout the country. However, this restriction on the freedom of slave owners—done in the heat of the Civil War—merely extended to slave states what was already the law of the land in the rest of the nation. The framers of the Constitution had allowed the southern states to maintain the institution of slavery in order to get them to accept the draft Constitution.)

The 1st Amendment—which would be diluted by the proposed Bush amendment—guarantees free speech and the right of citizens to complain to the government about grievances, real or imagined. It does not say that someone with a beef has to contact his or her congressman or write a letter to the editor. It leaves the method of protest up to the individual. This is how the matter should remain.

While I do not condone burning the American flag, I am more concerned with issues such as widespread use of drugs and widespread illiteracy than I am an isolated incident of flag burning. The former will ruin the nation; the latter will not.

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Newry, and the entire SAD #44 area, lost a great lady last week. Helen Berry, an English teacher for 25 years, succumbed to cancer last Thursday. Although she is gone, her teachings and optimistic outlook on life will remain with her students, family and friends for many years to come.

A kind note from one of our readers in California (see Letters to the Editor) asks why I don't comment on the Philippine situation. In fact, I have—during the people's power rebellion that toppled Ferdinand Marcos—offered a few comments in this column.

That said, I will say to Dr. Carmichael—the letter writer in California—that Marcos, in his heyday, was an absolutely brilliant politician. He could move boldly or he could be patient; he could keep his opponents off balance by selectively buying them off with money, promises or political plums; he was a master at making promises he had no intention of keeping; and he was an adroit liar. In the final analysis, however, he used his great political skills to aggrandize power and wealth and for no other purpose.

One of the better stories I wrote while in the Philippines, was about the way in which Marcos got control of the money-making Philippine Air Lines. The former owner told me the story during a drinking weekend (he was drinking, I was listening) at his island retreat.

Afterwards, at a news conference, I asked Marcos if he had paid the former owner for the shares of airline stock he had been given. I can recall Marcos' answer to this day: "I do believe he has been paid," he said with a straight face. I later asked the treasurer of the airline company the same question, and his answer was that no money had been paid for the shares.

When the story appeared, in the Washington Post, the hapless former owner was forced to write a letter to the Post denying everything he had told me.

Another one of my stories, which appeared in the Far Eastern Economic Review—a weekly newsmagazine published in Hong Kong—detailed how Marcos cronies had induced Japanese companies to pay for new sugar mills that were springing up all over the country. It was not that the country needed new mills; rather, it was a case of kickbacks. The Japanese built the sugar mills with Philippine government-backed loans for far more than the costly plants would actually cost. The extra money was then split between the Japanese who built the plants and the Marcos cronies, with presumably a cut for Marcos (although I didn't say that).

The mill-building program had the added effect of moving sugar production away from the old, landed sugar barons and into the hands of the newly rich Marcos clique. The story caused quite a sensation at the presidential palace. The Japanese businessman who had outlined the scheme for me was recalled by his company; I was ordered out of the country. However, after the Carter Administration protested my expulsion on grounds of trial without a hearing, they decided to put me on trial instead. This they did—the charge being sedition.

When that process also failed—again because of pressure from the U.S. State Department—Marcos held a discussion with my Hong Kong editor (a friend provided me a tape of the talk) telling him the only way his magazine would be allowed to circulate in the Philippines was if he replaced me with a new correspondent—which my editor did.

A Filipino writer whom I greatly admired—although she was an Imelda for the Marcoses because Mr. Marcos so thoroughly dominated the country there was no other game in town. He was indeed a political giant. His fault was that his greed was greater than his vision; he had for improving the lives of his countrymen. When he dies, in coming days or weeks, there will be few tears shed for him, despite the fact that he was the moving force in his island nation for two decades.

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The 4th of July and the Civil Rights Act of 1964

by Lucas Morel

"We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal..." Nearly two centuries after these words were first proclaimed by the Declaration of Independence, our nation reaffirmed their promise by enacting the Civil Rights Act of 1964. This week we celebrate the anniversaries of both documents.

Unfortunately, the celebration will likely be marred by continued controversy over recent civil rights decisions of the Supreme Court.

In these decisions, the Court has signalled a change in its approach to questions of race and gender, shifting the emphasis to victim-based rather than class-based litigation. Some are already charging that the new approach weakens the civil rights of the minority Americans. But perhaps that depends on what one means by "civil rights."

Twenty-five years ago, we knew what civil rights meant. We knew that men and women should be judged on the content of their character rather than on the color of their skin. That's why the Civil Rights Act of 1964 barred racial discrimination against individuals in voting, employment, schooling, and other activities essential to public life. By removing public sanction of racial discrimination, it reinforced our commitment to human equality.

The types of protections demanded by civil rights leaders of today, however, bear little resemblance to the provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. What current civil rights leaders seek is not a color-blind society, but one that is overtly and exclusively color-conscious. In an attempt to guarantee the right racial mix in every sector of society, they demand minority set-asides in government contracting, racial quotas in college admissions, and electoral districts drawn to preserve racial voting blocs.

Such policies divide us as a nation along racial lines; in their pursuit of an equality of group results, they necessarily impose an unequal protection of individual rights. They also work to perpetuate and extend the racial favoritism. In an ironic twist of history, racial leaders find themselves defending racial inequality just like the slave-owners of the antebellum South—only now the color is different. Is it any surprise that a national outbreak of racial hate groups and crimes has followed in the wake of these color-conscious programs?

The contradiction to the principle of equality as understood by the founding Fathers could not be more clear. In the words of Abraham Lincoln, those who enacted the Declaration of Independence "did not mean to say all were equal in color, size, intellect, moral developments, or social capacity."

Rather, they believed that all men as individuals were equal "in certain unalienable Rights, that among these are Life, Liberty, and the pursuit of Happiness."

Of course, in 1776 not all Americans enjoyed the same rights, and the founding Fathers themselves were aware of this. As Lincoln expressed it, "They meant simply to declare the right, so that the enforcement of it might follow as fast as the circumstances should require." And enforcement did follow—through the Civil War; the 13th, 14th and 15th Amendments; the civil rights movement; and ultimately, through the Civil Rights Act of 1964.

But in the decades following the Civil Rights Act, we have retained only a dim notion of the principle whose victory it marked. We have forgotten that the idea of human equality must apply across the board or it cannot apply at all. When today's minority leaders call for racial preferences via affirmative action, they undermine the very principle by which they condemn the bigotry of racist employers.

Abraham Lincoln once argued that Americans should not be defined by their ancestors, but by their adherence to the principles of 1776. Only then could so many and so varied a people survive as one.

Lincoln was right. And until we understand civil rights in the context of the individual equality, we cannot expect to be a united nation.

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL was held at Pleasant Valley Bible Church last week. These 4th-6th-graders made tie-dye shirts and a Joseph pencil holder during craft time in association with the Bible story, "Joseph's coat of many colors."

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

Margaret Mitchell arrived back in Upton from her trip to the west coast as happy as a robin when she announces summer. She and her sister, Tillie Grundy, attended the wedding of Tillie's grandnephew, Chris Rohde, of Bellevue, Wash., spent several days visiting and sightseeing in the area. On return to Maine they attended the 25th wedding anniversary of a nephew, Walter Griffin Jr. and Mrs. Griffin, of Portland.

Congratulations to Sheila Ann Douglas, who became a teenager June 25. I named my newly sprouted hanging begonia in your honor, Sheila.

Dougie Greenleaf, of Bethel, had the misfortune to suffer a bad leg break in an accident at Oxford Plains. He is a grandson of Elsie Douglas, of Upton.

Oscar Hamel celebrated his birthday Sunday. He didn't care to say which one. A small group attended the landscapening class at Joy Yarnell's for the final of the extreme weather and bugs are making time less productive for many of us.

The "Woman's Household Crochet" and "Crochet World" each contains a pattern designed by my daughter Kathy. Great-granddaughter Megan Korhonen is the first girl born to a Korhonen son in this family for 46 years. We enjoyed a visit with her brother Brian Korhonen Farm Saturday.

Dana and Biela Korman and son Josh, of Bogalusa, La., are spending a week with his sister, Norma Collingwood. Dana is originally from Bethel.

East Stoneham

By GLADYS KILGORE

The weekend of June 17, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson Sr. were hosts to a lobster cookout at their home for friends and relatives. Their daughter, Sharon Traisk and friend, of Massachusetts, were also there.

The first summer church supper was well attended Thursday night. As the camps are all filling up with summer visitors the suppers will all be well attended.

The Rev. Janice Wilcox was in town making calls one day. Also the Rev. Nancy Taylor, from VT., was a visitor. Mrs. Helen Grover has a butterfly bush in full bloom on her lawn. My neighbors tell me it is beautiful.

Mrs. Vicki McCabe, who has been working at the Country Store here, is now working in a store at No. Waterford.

Mrs. Inez Barker, who has made her home with her son and family for several months, is now at her own home. She has a lady living with her.

Mrs. Peter Fox is working in the hospital at Bangor. Mrs. Dwight Grover attended her school's alumni exercises at Scarborough Saturday.

To the Editor:

I rode out to the York/Felt Cemetery today to look at vandalism that was noted in a recent Letter to the Editor.

My husband and I have been putting out American flags on this cemetery for over 30 years. This is the first time that the flags have been removed and/or damage done to the gravestones. It is heartbreaking to see what has been done to this old "resting place." The stones broken, some smashed and tipped over. A couple of the stones knocked over will take the strength of two or three men to make them upright. Someone has fixed two of the stones—whether Mr. Cummings or a family member, I don't know. I turned a couple over so at least one can read the names.

I am wondering who can be contacted for the repair work and who pays. A lot probably have no family members still living. This cemetery is in Albany, an unorganized territory.

If someone would get the needed information to me I will gladly follow through on it.

Ramona Lowe

I want to thank all those who put out petitions or involved themselves in my behalf.

Rickie Osgood

Summer playground to be held in Bethel

The Bethel Area Recreation Board is once again sponsoring a summer playground program for children entering Grades K-5. The program will be held Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., beginning the weeks of July 9 and 16. It will be under the direction of Denise Roderick.

The fee is \$5 per week per child, plus a donation. This donation helps to defray daily expenses necessary during the program weeks.

The program has become a very popular one among area children, with daily activities such as the dyeing of T-shirts, kite-making, clay figurine reading, macrame weaving and many other enjoyable activities.

Nutritious snacks are provided, however children should have a cold lunch each day and a beverage in an unbreakable container. Children should be available throughout the day for the children to retreat to on the unseasonably hot days.

Once again the program will be held at the Ethel Bissbee School. Any questions can be answered by calling Jane Rolfe, 824-2966, or Maryvonne Wheeler, 824-2966.

Biathlon Championships at Gould this Saturday

The Maine Summer Biathlon Championships will be run at the Gould Academy Biathlon Center on Saturday, July 8, at 10 a.m.

Summer biathlon is an exciting sport involving running and 22-calibre target shooting. No previous experience is necessary and instruction, as well as rifles and ammo, will be provided for novices after the championship race.

Prizes will be awarded to the top finishers in each class. Registration is 9-10 a.m.

Summer biathlon is a variation of the winter Olympic sport of biathlon, which involves cross-country skiing and shooting. Biathlon has been a sport in the winter Olympics since 1960 and is one of the most popular winter sports in the world, especially in Scandinavia, the Soviet Union and central and eastern Europe. In the United States, biathlon is a small but growing sport, with a dedicated core of participants who train at a handful of regional centers, such as Gould Academy, Lake Placid, N.Y., and Bend, Ore. To learn more, contact Kirk Siegel, U.S. Biathlon Association regional coach, at 824-2196 or 824-3436.

CHOLESTEROL TESTING AT SMH

Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway is a 90-bed acute care facility that has served the Oxford Hills Region for over 30 years. The Health Education Department offers periodic blood pressure and cholesterol screenings.

These services are extended to tourists while they enjoy summer here. Stephens Memorial Hospital will sponsor cholesterol screening for the community on July 11, from 9 a.m.-5 p.m., and July 12, from 12-4 p.m., in the board room of the hospital.

Screenings will be done on the walk-in basis.

The American Heart Association states that the three most important contributors to heart attack are high blood cholesterol level, high blood pressure and cigarette smoking. It is estimated that 10

From Augusta

Sen. R. Donald Twitchell

Faced with making deep cuts in patient services or closing its doors, Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway has been spared either of those fates thanks to an emergency measure enacted by the 114th Legislature and signed by the governor.

The legislation, sponsored by Sen. R. Donald Twitchell, was approved unanimously by the Senate, 34-0, and by a margin of 118-1 in the Maine House.

In addition to Stephens, six other hospitals elsewhere in Maine, caught in a similar financial squeeze, stand to benefit.

Under the act, the Maine Health Care Finance Commission is authorized to grant a one-time adjustment to those qualifying hospitals where non-capital operating costs have substantially exceeded the standard levels allowed by the commission. (The commission is the state agency charged with promoting hospital cost containment through the regulation of fees and charges.)

The measure is specifically designed to help those hospitals that have achieved significantly lower than normal per patient costs but have incurred legitimate operating costs for which they cannot be compensated under the current system.

For Stephens Memorial that means \$713,000 in additional revenue to bring some reasonable balance between the hospital's costs and income, not to mention keeping the doors open. To Harry Hahn, Stephens president and chief executive officer, "it means all the difference in the world."

The certain closing of Stephens without this legitimate compensation would have been a disaster to the health care needs of those in the Norway-South Paris community as well as rural residents in the surrounding region of southern Oxford County. The overwhelming merit for the measure is underscored by the lopsided vote favoring its passage.

Stephens

Continued from page 1

ferent kinds of paper in plastic bags. It does not have to be shredded. Also, please don't put magazines in with newspaper, we just have to separate it. A little effort is well worth it."

With available landfills in Maine decreasing and the costs of handling trash increasing, recycling becomes a profitable situation. Mr. Damon has also begun a recycling program at the transfer station for steel and aluminum cans, clear and colored glass and plastic.

BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS

The Bethel Senior Citizens will meet for a picnic on July 12, 11 a.m., at the Powell's Gangground, Route 2, Hanover. Members are reminded to take along a brown bag item for an auction, folding chairs and a food contribution to share.

percent of the American-work force has a minimum of two risk factors for heart disease.

The cholesterol screening is done by the fingerstick method. Results are available in three minutes and include counseling by registered nurses. The fee for the screening is \$5. Please note that cholesterol screening is not intended to be a substitute for regular physician care.

Fasting is not a prerequisite for this screening and all results are kept strictly confidential.

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Letters to the editor

To the Editor:

With the death last week of Edward M. Quinn, better known to his friends as "Ed" or "Mike," the Bethel Historical Society has lost one of those who "made a difference" in its earliest days when no one could say with certainty that the organization would survive. Ed was one of those who stepped in to fill the void after the death of the Society's founder, Eva M. Bean. A former Society president and chair of its Board of Trustees, he and his wife "Gertie" provided dedicated service and leadership at a crucial juncture in the organization's development. No historical society could have a more committed member or a harder worker.

Ed continued to provide help on many fronts through the years after the move to the Dr. Moses Mason House in 1974. For many years he served on the Society's Building Committee, which he chaired for the past decade. He also played a major role in logistics during Indian Raid '81. He never failed to answer the call of service and I shall always be grateful for his many favors rendered so graciously.

Ed was not always the easiest person to accommodate. His Irish determination and will were of legendary proportions. He was disappointed that his railroad collection, which he sold for a railroad museum, did not materialize in Bethel. This no doubt frustrated him as it did

To the Editor:

In the book by Pulitzer Prize winner Katherine Ellison, entitled "Imelda," the section dedicated to acknowledgements contains the sentence: "Bernard Wideman, publisher of the 'Bethel Citizen' and a Philippine hand of note, generously took the time to comb through my files for a stranger on the phone."

As a dedicated though distant reader many of us.

He continued to be a generous donor to the organization. His collection of railroad books were a major addition to the Society's treasures. His interest in the Society's welfare, even though plagued by failing health, never flagged.

I will greatly miss Ed, his droll sense of humor, his keen interest. His courage in dealing with the loss of an arm and his sense of hearing were inspirations to all who knew him. He was a remarkable historical society member whom I will not soon forget.

Stanley Russell Howe, Director Bethel Historical Society

Audrey Thibodeau Bethel

Medical Director Scripps Memorial Hospitals La Jolla, Calif.

To the Editor:

I'm glad to see the Town has started to adopt policies for the Police Department. A police officer protecting the public needs policies to protect him.

The public might not have the right to know the names of the applicants for the police chief's position, but they do have the right to know how I've been put on the bottom of the pile. I'm not saying I'm the best for the position, but I don't think it's right for a town manager to use [his] influence against me.

As for the policy on the conduct of an officer, I think a policy on the conduct of the town manager should be in order.

of your newspaper for well over a year, I do not recall any editorial comment on the current status of Mr. and Mrs. Marcos. In view of the importance of the events that have occurred in the Philippines and the drama of both Mr. and Mrs. Marcos in their relationships with both their homeland and the United States, your observations could have importance to your readers. The flavor of your estimable newspaper is clearly local and "down home," but expertise needs exercising and your commentary would be appreciated.

D.B. Carmichael, M.D., LL.D. Medical Director Scripps Memorial Hospitals La Jolla, Calif.

To the Editor:

I want to thank all those who put out petitions or involved themselves in my behalf.

Rickie Osgood



GRAND OPENING—The Bethel Barbershop and Beauty Salon celebrated its grand opening Friday. Cosmetologists Gail Jordan, Heidi Bean and Gail Weston are eager to provide a full range of styling services for men and women. The shop is located behind the Post Office, and walk-ins are always welcome.

Songo Pond

By ALICE KIMBALL

Mrs. Addie Colby and Mrs. Marion Parsons, of Rumford Center, visited the Jack Parsons one day last week. Herbie and Dottie Adams, of Hanover, were honored Saturday evening at a family cookout at The Cape, in Otisfield, on their 25th anniversary. Attending the surprise affair were David and Norma Salway and myself, Bernie and Kassie Gatchell, of Auburn, Craig and Ethel Turner, Sarah, Anber, David, and Jonathan Bean and their live-in house guest Minor Centona-Sandi, of Costa Rica, Derek and Erin Adams and the honored guests. Banners and balloons decorated the front porch and tables. Suitable refreshments were served, followed with a three-tier cake made and decorated by Norma Salway. Some lovely gifts were received.

Sunday morning, with the Craig Turner family, I went to Unity to visit my brother and family. We toured his new milking barn, which at present is the only one like it in the state. We stopped at the State Capitol on the way home. I returned home Monday.

Early Tuesday morning, Norma and I drove to Preston, Conn., and attended funeral services for my cousin, Mrs. Jean Berardinello, who was more like a sister to me. A beautiful service was conducted by Rev. Wesley Smith at the Central Baptist Church in Westerly, R.I., with interment at River Bend Cemetery

in Westerly. Jean was an Army nurse for 20 years, retiring as a major. We spent Tuesday night with friends in Mansfield City, Conn., returning home Wednesday, calling on friends in York Beach on the way.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons were at Portland Jetport Thursday to meet his brother George, who flew in from California for a visit. Kathy Parsons, of Hebron, Conn., is also visiting her grandparents for a few days.

Mrs. Christine Kimball was in Berlin, N.H., last weekend with Mrs. Pam Rugg and Bonnie Hutchinson. Wednesday, Christine drove Mr. and Mrs. Joe Young to visit friends in Gardiner. They also called on her sister in Monmouth. Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ulrey, Theresa, Amy and Nathan, of Longwood, Fla., visited with Christine.

The trials of life are far less important than how one deals with them.

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Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

How quietly the summer sleeps tonight, as I sit here alone, while the darkness and the silence wrap around. A single star lifts a point of light beyond the mountain top. I hear the clock still ticking, explaining everything in its tick and took. My mind turns back to the first of the week, when Mary, age six, asked me to take her to the farm fields to net insects, pick flowers and walk the dog, Holly the Collie.

It was a most beautiful day and her grampa was in the hay field baling hay—his first crop of the season. In consequence, the whole valley had that sweet new-cut hay smell, which is like nothing else; so I can't explain.

We went on up the cart road, Holly leading Mary and Mary leading me by turning and saying every minute or so, "Come on, Aunt Clist" or "Are you coming, Aunt Clist?"

I'd answer by saying, "Yes, but with Holly's four legs and your two I can't keep up!"

If Holly stopped I was amused to hear her say, "Move it, it's time to get on the road!"

It was a land of jingling medley of bobolinks fluttering up into sunshine from the lush field strewn with buttercups and daisies. These birds were resplendent in plumage and their voices swelled in their flight. So musical. So beautiful in contrasting black and white, as they launched out on their flight.

We had no luck catching insects or butterflies in her net, but we gathered a large bouquet made up of seven different flowers. When she gave them to her gramma she had remembered the names of all but two of them.

Almost down to the road, which she and Holly must cross, she was far ahead of me. I called to caution her about crossing the highway. Just then Holly spied gramma and Mary could no longer hold

her by the leash. So Holly crossed the highway and Mary waited for me.

Ann was coming to drive the tractor, while her father loaded the bales. Then with Holly off the leash we all "turned to" pile hay and soon had the 70-plus bales out of the field and at the barn. How different it was from days gone by, when horses stood here rippling their skin and steaming gently.

So we ended the day where the air was full of bird songs, sweet grasses, and leaves even softer than the flowers.

Gentle twilight now has wrapped a soft shawl about the shoulders of a delightful day and pinned it with stars. So good night.

The week has gone so fast. I can scarcely believe that the holiday of July 4th is right here. One July 4th I remember clearly when four of us drove to Island Pond, Vt., in a Model T Ford, at night. It turned so cold that we were most uncomfortable—no heater to turn on.

The David Holts have finished moving and are now staying in their new home in Norway. They have been at the farm a few times during the week.

My cousin, Robert Curtis, of East Bethel, came to see me early in the week. It had been a long time so I was pleased. He brought me a picture of my mother and father. What memories that brought. I have had several other callers also.

Rena Curtis has visited her sister several times this week and also went to Buckfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Mitchell are at their camp here for a few days.

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So. Woodstock

By OLIVE R. DAVIS

The Class of 1921 at Bridgton Academy held their 68th class reunion June 21 at Shorelands Restaurant. There were six of the graduates there and three visitors. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ryan (Martha Caswell), of Malden, Mass., Gladys Moulton Knight, Helen Caswell Chute, Elizabeth Saunders Young, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Young (Orpha Sias), Happy Hamblin, of Waterford, and Olive Pingree Davis.

The class is scattered around some. Elizabeth lives in New Jersey but has a cottage on Christopher Lake, where they spend the summers. Helen and Orpha live at Harrison. Gladys' home is in No. Waterford. Mary Buck Minck is in Florida; she is confined to a wheelchair so is unable to attend our gatherings anymore. Rose Bischoffberger was absent from our gathering also. We hope she can make it next time.

We had a very pleasant visit as we ate the splendid lunch served at Shorelands. After lunch we had pictures taken of the group outside the building. I surely hope they come out well when developed.

Esther Davis and I went to Fryeburg Tuesday, then had dinner with Mr. and

Mrs. Arthur Andrews later. We called on Mr. and Mrs. Dick Goldsmith coming home.

This is the hot spell of the summer coming up. Watch out for sunburns. They can be very painful especially if you enjoy swimming and then lying in the sun a long time.

A birthday party was held Sunday night for Ronald Deegan at Esther Davis' home. Those attending were Mrs. Ronald Deegan and daughter Edith D. Deegan, Ethel and Erland Twitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Deegan and daughter and hostess Esther Davis, Patricia Tibbitts and Jackie, Leona Farnum and Candy Farnum. Unable to attend, Jerry Shorer and Lorraine Nowlin but sent best wishes; also Bunny Hillgoss.

Esther Davis and I were in Livermore, Sunday afternoon calling on her brother and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Pike, Donald Brown and Methyl Brown. We couldn't help remarking on the many new homes being erected, and all those that have been built lately all along the way. I wonder how our population compares now with five years ago or even 10. We must have gained a lot in the last few years.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks, Bertha Bennett and Olive Davis attended Oxford Pomona Tuesday night.

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North Paris

By DORIS C. LAWRENCE

What beautiful weather. We had a little cooling off weather. I received a letter from Anita McCarthy, in Scarsdale, N.Y. She tripped and now has a chipped fractured ankle. So sorry; a good time to do a lot of reading. Friday, July 7, Senior Citizens of West Paris will meet at the Congregational Mission Church by 11 a.m., fill the cars up and head for the Boiler Room Restaurant at Bryant Pond. Then, after luncheon, will visit Gail Reino Studio. Joe Vatcher has the strawberries all picked and in his freezer for our July 29 Strawberry Short Cake Supper at the North Paris hall. It was sure hot picking them in that hot sun.

Thursday, June 29, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went to Massachusetts to visit his sister, Fanny Whitten.

Callers at the Lawrences have been John Haney for a few minutes; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott with their new Chevy van. Joe Vatcher brought us three boxes of strawberries; they were delicious. Odell Heath, Ginny Stone and Lloyd Huntley called and we were gone; she left a note; wished we could have seen the both of them and Joe Kainowski.

July 1, 1839, 50 years ago, we got married. It was cold and the next day, July 2, we thought it was going to snow. Hope everyone has a safe and happy holiday.

June 30 I visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Felt; it was their 45th anniversary.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR AUCTION
The Bethel Rotary is still looking for additional donations for its upcoming July 14 auction. The auction will be held at 7 p.m. in the Telstar cafeteria.

As in the past, area residents have responded to the club's request for auction items, but more items are still needed. With the exception of major appliances and clothes, all donations will be gratefully accepted. All the money raised by this auction will go directly back into the community to help sponsor Rotary activities like "Christmas for Children", Senior Citizen activities, Thanksgiving baskets for the needy and the college scholarship program.

If you would like to help, contact Bruce Powell at 824-2789, or Dave Murphy at 824-2041, to arrange for pick up or delivery.

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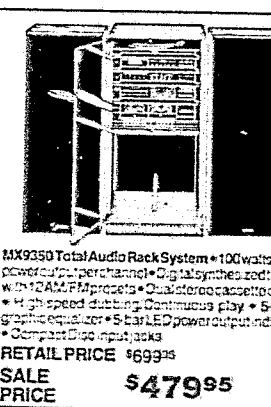
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WORLD MISSION EVENT

Trinity Lutheran Church, South Paris (the only Lutheran Church in the Oxford Hills), will be celebrating a world mission event on July 8 and 9. There will be a world missions fair from 8:30 a.m. till noon on Saturday, July 8. The fair will include a breakfast coffee; ethnic baked goods (including Nissai); special arts and crafts; good used clothes; and a rummage sale. Proceeds will be used for local and world missions.

There will be the usual Sunday Services at 9 a.m., with Pastor John Matzke officiating.

On Sunday at 2 p.m., there will be a special worship service in the Finnish language, which will culminate the world missions event. Trinity's Pastor Emeritus, Rev. Henry Leino, will conduct the service in Finnish. Mrs. Miriam Leino will be the organist. A coffee will follow the service. All are invited.

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Notes from the Woodstock Historical Society

Here are some famous Woodstock citizens: William Berry Lapham—local historian; George Allan England—author; C. Mortimer Wiske—owner of summer music camp; Frances Hayes—President's daughter; John Dearborn—Civil War hero, millowner; William Ellery—owner of "Dreamhome"; Sidney Perham—Maine Governor; Rev. Kinsman—Episcopal bishop, owner of Birchmere; Joseph Cummings Chase—portrait painter; General James Alger—prominent military officer. And there are others too numerous to mention.

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Thursday, July 13: Chicken leg, potatoes, squash, bread, fresh fruit.

More goods and goodies pile up for Rotary auction

Don't forget to mark your calendar for Friday evening, July 14. The Rotary Club of Bethel will be kicking off the Molycock weekend with their second annual gigantic auction.

The auction will be held at Telstar High School in the cafeteria at 7 p.m. The preview will begin at 6 p.m. This promises to be an exciting evening with something for everyone.

In addition to quality furniture, bicycles, toys, sporting equipment and box lots, this auction will also feature nearly \$3,000 worth of gift certificates from area businesses. The latest batch of certificates includes the following:

% \$20 gift certificate from Pooh Corner Farm.
% A nurturing massage (\$30 value) donated by Fran & Kathleen Szostek.
% A hand knit ear flap ski hat—choice of color and pattern (\$30 value) donated by Mary's Knitfin (Mary Morin).

% An assortment of gift certificates donated by Joly Realty, including certificates from 10 area businesses.
% Two dinners at Bonanza (\$21 value).
% \$20 gift certificates from Mario's of South Paris.

% \$300 labor by F.L. Meader Carpentry.
% 17' Grumman canoe donated by An-

dre Robidoux.
% Six yards of loam by D.A. Wilson.
% One pair of reared trees, mounted and balanced by Gordon's Tire (\$65 value).

% \$20 gift certificate donated by The Fashion Basket/The Brass Buckle.
% \$10 gift certificate from the Bread & Butter Bake Shop.

% One night stay in a two-bedroom suite donated by the River View Inn (\$65 value).

These are in addition to the nearly \$2,000 worth of certificates listed in last week's "Citizen," which included a big screen television, a season's pass to Mt. Abram Ski Slopes and a \$600 weekend package at Sunday River Ski Resort.

For more information, contact Bruce Powell at 824-2789, or Dave Murphy at 824-2041. The club is still seeking donations for this auction. All proceeds will go directly back into the community for events such as "Christmas For Children", the Senior Citizen Christmas party, Thanksgiving baskets for the needy and college scholarships. Pick up of items can be arranged.

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*Based on Ford's \$200 discount plus our \$2,000 discount plus \$2,000 in interest savings realized by financing \$12,250 for 60 months at 6.9% versus 13.9% A.P.R. (Annual Percentage Rate).

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High Street

West Paris
By VIVA WHITMAN

A cloudy morning as I sit down to write this down home letter. Hot and humid just the same. We can always find something to find fault about if talking of the weather, that is for sure. First it was too rainy and this week has been hot, humid and uncomfortable. Guess we are lucky we aren't having the weather they have been having in the South with the tropical storm that dumped so much rain on the countryside.

It has seemed good to have the sun and it has helped things to start growing even if it has been hot. Wynona said it was over 100 degrees in California where she and Mike are. She said that Kariann seemed to mind the heat the most of any of them. They flew out a week ago yesterday and come back tomorrow. The girls like flying but it was a long trip, and it will be coming home.

There hasn't been too much excitement around here as Russell has worked outside what he did and has the garden looking as good as he can. I have kept my fingers busy with crocheting and knitting, though crocheting has been the big item for me. I was doing a piece in filet crocheting, which I have never done before, and it was a 30 1/2 inch long piece. It is done as of yesterday and I am proud of the job I did. I had thought I would like to try it but just haven't before and now I can tackle more as I please and be sure of myself in doing it.

A week ago last Monday Russell and I went to Franklin Grange at Bryant Pond and I drove up. I went the back way so I wouldn't meet many cars as the lights bother me terribly. It was visiting officers night and we had a good time. Last Friday we went to town to do errands and get groceries. Always something that needs to be done when down there.

As Peggy wasn't home, Russell didn't get to go to the dance the last two Saturday nights. He has missed it, I am sure, as he mentioned it each week.

He had worked around the place on Sunday and I had been wanting to go somewhere so made up my mind I would try to drive to the Hall's Pond Road, in South Paris, to visit a friend who lost her husband this past spring. We went and had a nice visit with Helen Stearns and her dog. I hadn't seen her for some time so was glad to have the chance to visit and find out how she is doing after her loss. As she said it leaves a big empty space when you lose a loved one and takes time to get over it. However she seems to be doing well and now that I have found I can drive that far without too much trouble, I may get up courage and go visit again someday.

Russell's peonies are in bloom and the most beautiful flowers I have seen for a

TREE WINNERS ANNOUNCED

In April Western Maine nurseries donated 100 Norway spruce trees to Oxford County Soil and Water Conservation District. These trees were raffled off in four bundles of 25 trees. The supervisors of the district met May 9 for the regular business meeting and the four winners were announced.

They were: John Knightly, of Norway; Howard Thurston, of Oxford; Martin Record, of So. Paris and Beverly Shaw, of So. Paris.

Two gallons of maple syrup has now been donated to the Conservation District by district cooperators Sidney Record, of So. Paris and Robert VanNest, of Norway, to be raffled off July 11. For more information about the conservation district or the raffle, contact Edwina F. Russell, district office manager, at 1 Main St., So. Paris, 04281; 743-7019

long time. They all blossomed at the same time this year, and maybe that is why they look so great. All three of the plants did well this year so they have been a nice splash of beauty. The roses are starting to blossom also, and they are a lovely pink color. It will be fun to watch the different flowers bloom as Russell had set out so many more this year. His tuberosus begonias are beginning to blossom and they are pretty also. He seems to have a green thumb, unless the bugs decide to interfere and then, green thumb or not, things don't do as well.

As far as we know, Peggy came home yesterday but we haven't seen her as yet. She didn't get in until late so presume she stayed at her daughter's in Auburn and will go to work from there this morning, as it is her day to put out cards in the two stores she does.

Marcia Baxter took her mother home to Skowhegan this weekend. Her mother had spent a week with her.

Three of the children at the Lovejoys are enjoying themselves at the Vacation Bible School at South Paris Baptist Church at this time. Hope they get a lot out of it while there. It helps keep their minds busy and gives them something to do.

Past Masters night at West Paris Grange Thursday night, July 6. They hope to have a good crowd, so come and help them make it so.

We will be glad to have a little cooler tomorrow as they said it would be but hope everyone is OK and having a good summer. Take care and have a good time.

Newry

By AMY HANSCOM

Volunteers from Hurricane Island Outward Bound School will soon be starting painting the Newry Community Church. Donations of labor or money would be appreciated. A work day will be announced later. Donations may be sent to the treasurer of the Newry Community Church, HCR 61 Box 280, Newry 04261.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Wight, Rumford, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight to Philmont, N.Y. recently, to visit Mr. and Mrs. Carl Calvin (Betty Wight). Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hunter, Barton, Pa., joined them there for a family get-together.

Any deer (doe) permits are available from Town Clerk June Swan at the Town Office during regular office hours, Tuesday 12 noon to 8 p.m. and Thursday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Deadline for filing the applications is Aug. 15.

Maine Street '90 chairman, June Swan, wishes to announce that Maine Street '90 Recognition Day will be held at the Town Office July 13 at 1 p.m.

The Ladies Circle will meet July 10 at 7:30 p.m. at the home of Louise Tetley.

Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Thelma Lowery, Louise Tetley, Gilbert Seelye were in Rumford bowling June 28. Karlene was high on single, with one string over 100. Thelma was high on triple.

Sympathy is extended to the family of Helen Berry.

The Board of Selectmen met last Tuesday morning. Solid Waste Committee Chairman Sigmund Sysko met with them and plans for door-to-door pick-up of solid waste were finalized. The waste will be picked up by D & E Sanitation and trucked to the Norway-Paris transfer station. Sysko has prepared an informational letter, which will be sent out to Newry residents with the tax bills.

The selectmen inspected the roads at Sunday River Village, and a section of dirt road between two paved sections at Sunday River, with a representative of Commercial Paving Co., in preparation to paving next month. Commercial Paving will be making recommendations next week.

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LOVE THOSE BERRIES—Kate and Liz Baxter can hardly wait to start devouring the strawberry shakes and shortcakes their mom, Cynthia, is buying for them at Saturday's Strawberry Festival at the Locke Mills Union Church.

Roland Mayheu, from the State Bureau of Taxation, called with the proposed figures for Newry's FY 91 assessment. For FY 90, Newry, with approximately 6 percent of the pupils in the five towns, paid 23.28 percent of the assessment.

The Planning Board will hold a Public Hearing on the Powder Ridge Development, Glover Corporation Subdivision Application, at the town office, July 17 at 7 p.m.

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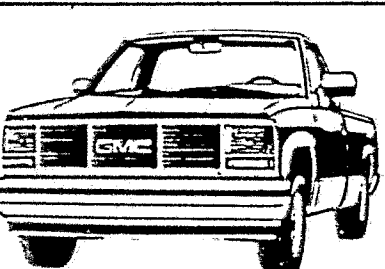
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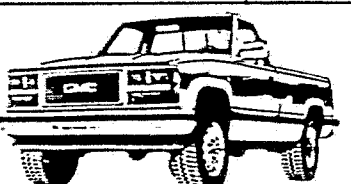
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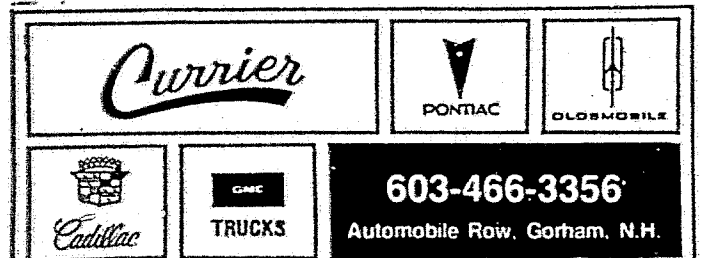


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The Citizen's prime time TV guide

THURSDAY EVENING JULY 6, 1989											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "Dragnet"				H's Heroes	H's Heroes	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere		
(4) Monitor	Village	Safari	Beyond 2000			Nature	World-Sea	Sporting	Sporting		
(5) Father Murphy		Movie: "Johnny Holiday"				700 Club		Paper Chase			
(6) On the Line: Money	Cosby	Diff. World	Cheers	Dear John		L.A. Law		News			
(7) Affair	Kate & Allie	Major League Baseball: Teams To Be Announced						News	Nightline		
(8) MacNeil/Lehrer	Maine	Discover	Mystery!			Canada: True North		A Very Peculiar Practice			
(11) HeartBeat	Spenser: For Hire	Movie: "The Lives of Jenny Dolan"						Spenser: For Hire			
(12) Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now				VideoCountry		Country	Be a Star	Crook	
(13) Fortune	Jeopardy!	48 Hours	Cavanghis	Of Age	Equalizer			News	Pat Sajak		
(16C) Cheers	INN News	Movie: "Short Circuit"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner		
(17D) Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeTime	Larry King Live			News		Moneyline	Sports		
(18E) The Bridges at Toko-Ri		Movie: "The Don Is Dead"				Movie: "The Cotton Club"					
(20G) Red Sox	Major League Baseball: Milwaukee Brewers at Boston Red Sox					Fishing		Sportsfishing	Baseball		
(21H) SportsCtr.	SpeedWeek	Auto	Swamp	Thurs. Night Thunder		Auto Racing: USAC Sports			SportsCtr.		
(22I) Griffith	Griffith	Movie: "Midway"									
(23J) America's Business	Money Talks		Business Tonight			Focus		Spec. Int.	MoneyTalk		
(24K) Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	For Daddy	Car 54	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	My 3 Sons		
(26M) Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote	Boxing: Donny Poole vs. Dexter Smith					Miami Vice			
(27N) Chronicle	Survival	Durrell	Wild World	Jacques Loussier	Bull in Winter: Picasso	Improv		Black Add.			
(29P) Wimbledon	Tennis	Movie: "The Great Outdoors"				Into Madness		Movie: "Busted Up"			
(31R) Cat from OutSpc		Walt Disney Presents	Movie: "A Hard Day's Night"			Beatles	Ozzie	The Sword			
(32S) Cosby	Kate & Allie	Bonanza				News		It's a Living	Arsenio H.		
(34U) Griffith	Benson	Movie: "52 Pick-Up"				News	INN News	Darkside	Magnum		

FRIDAY EVENING JULY 7, 1989											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "The Blues Brothers"						M*A*S*H	Elsewhere		
(4) Monitor	Scotland	Testament	America Coast to Coast			Nature of Things		Animal	Naturalist		
(5) Father Murphy		Movie: "The Loneliest Runner"				TBA	700 Club		Paper Chase		
(6) Cosby	Cheers	Major League Baseball: Regional coverage						News	Wimbleton		
(7) Affair	Kate & Allie	Strangers	Full House	Belvedere	Girl's Life	20/20		News	Nightline		
(8) MacNeil/Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Evening at Pops		Smithsonian World		Bix Lives	Fields		
(11) HeartBeat		Movie: "The Kidnapping of Baby John Doe"				Molly Dodd	Molly Dodd	Spenser: For Hire			
(12) Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now				VideoCountry		Rock	Be a Star	Crook	
(13) Fortune	Jeopardy!	National Geographic				To Be Announced		News	Pat Sajak		
(16C) Cheers	INN News	Dirty Dancing: Live in Concert				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner		
(17D) Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeTime	Larry King Live			Headline News		Moneyline	Sports		
(18E) "Murphy's Romance"		Movie: "From the Hip"				Movie: "The Dead Pool"		Emmanuel			
(20G) TBA	Red Sox	Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox						Bowling			
(21H) SportsCtr.	Boating	Gymnastics	Track and Field: Prep Invitational			NFL		Motorweek	SportsCtr.		
(22I) Griffith	Griffith	Movie: "Angels with Dirty Faces"				NWA Wrestling		Night Tracks			
(23J) America's Business	Money Talks		Business Tonight			Focus		Spec. Int.	MoneyTalk		
(24K) Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	For Daddy	Car 54	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	My 3 Sons		
(26M) Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote	Hitchcock	Bradbury	Hitchhiker	Werewolf		Miami Vice			
(27N) Chronicle	Survival	Eagle-Bear	Churchill	Movie: "Alice's Restaurant"				Improv			
(29P) "Light of Day" Cont'd		Movie: "The Omen"				Movie: "Damien: Omen II"					
(31R) Movie: "The Blue Bird"		Ernest	Movie: "Miracle of the Heart: A Boys Town Story"			Ozzie		Rainmaker			
(32S) Cosby	Kate & Allie	Kolchak, Stalk.				News		It's a Living	Arsenio H.		
(34U) Griffith	Benson	Movie: "The Man With Two Brains"				News	INN News	Darkside	Magnum		

SATURDAY EVENING JULY 8, 1989											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) War of the Worlds		Movie: "Little Darlings"						Movie: "Joy of Sex"			
(4) Sporting	Sporting	Challenge	Showcase	Austria		Natural World		Animals	Nature		
(5) Rin Tin Tin	Campbells	Movie: "The Far Horizons"				Bordertown	Crossbow	Rin Tin Tin	Campbells		
(6) Family Ties	Cosby	227	Amen	Gold. Girls	Knight	Hunter		News	Sat. Night		
(7) Star Search		Mission: Impossible				Movie: "Convicted"			Nightmare		
(8) Maine	Vintage	Austin City Limits				Doctor Who		Videospin	Dennis Wholey		
(11) "Amazons" Cont'd	Cagney & Lacey	Gangs: Not My Kid				Molly Dodd	Esquire	Spenser: For Hire			
(12) Kitchen	Wk./Music	Backstage	Grand Opry	Merrill Osmond: I Like		Kitchen	CountryClips		Rock		
(13) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Paradise				Tour of Duty		West 57th	News	Beauty-Bst	
(16C) Star Trek: Next Gener.		Movie: "An Eye for an Eye"				INN News	Monsters	Darkside	The Thing		
(17D) Capital	Sports Sat.	PrimeTime	Showbiz	In Japan		Headline News		Capital	Sports		
(18E) "White Nights" Cont'd		Movie: "The Fury"						Movie: "Wanted Dead or Alive"			
(20G) Major League Baseball: New York Yankees at Boston Red Sox								High School Lacrosse: National All-Star Game			
(21H) SportsCtr.	Sports	Volleyball				Day at the Beach		Water skiing: Champions	Surfer	SportsCtr.	
(22I) Major League Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at Atlanta Braves								U.S. Olympic Gold	Night Tracks		
(23J) Score Card	Trivia	Boxing				Final Score		Professional Wrestling			
(24K) Gadget	Looney Tunes		Patty Duke	For Daddy	Car 54	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	My 3 Sons		
(26M) Miami Vice		Movie: "Razorback"				Hitchhiker	Hitchcock	Movie: "The Van"			
(27N) Chronicle	Eagle-Bear	Living Dangerously				Evita Peron		Sing: Bring on the Night			
(29P) "Absence of Malice"		Movie: "A Fish Called Wanda"						HBO Comedy Hour	Movie: "Traveling Man"		
(31R) Movie: "The Roots of Goody"		Honey Tree	"The Richest Cat in the World"			Album		"Forever Female"			
(32S) Mama	Kate & Allie	Movie: "The Longshot"				News	Crimes	It's a Living	Nightmare		
(34U) Sheriff	Benson	Movie: "Murder by Death"				News	INN News	Twilight Z.	Prime Cut		

SUNDAY EVENING JULY 9, 1989											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) It's a Living	Mama	Movie: "Running Brave"				Victory	Straight	Manager	Rabbis		
(4) Bill Burrud's Animals		Hot House People	Wolf			Riddle of Midnight		Adventure	Traveler's		
(5) Our House		Music and More	In Touch			Ben Haden	Ankerberg	Paid Prog.	Ed Young		
(6) Jim Henson		Magical World of Disney	Movie: "Hands of a Stranger"					News	Sports		
(7) Incredible Sunday		Have Faith	Movie: "The Man with the Golden Gun"					Beach B.			
(8) The Horse in Sport	Nat'l Audubon		Masterpiece Theatre			Soviet Television Tonight		With My Wife			
(11) Cardiology	Milestones	Physicians' Jnl.	Cardiology	Medicine		Obstetrics	Family	Surgery	Medicine		
(12) American Sports Cavalcade		Racing	Trucks	Truckin'		Outdoor	Bassmastr.	Motoworld	Racing		
(13) 60 Minutes		Murder, She Wrote	Movie: "Of Pure Blood"					Clark			
(16C) "Red Sonja" Cont'd		Movie: "Eye of the Tiger"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner		
(17D) Newsweek Sport Sun.	PrimeTime		Week in Review			Headline News		Business	Sports		
(18E) Movie: "Shane"			Movie: "The Living Daylights"					Dead Pool			
(20G) Minor League Baseball: Scranton Red Barons at Pawtucket Red Sox			Auto Racing: NASCAR			Sportfishing		Fishing			
(21H) SportsCtr.	NFL	Baseball Film	Baseball: Old-Timers Game			B'ball Quiz		SportsCenter			
(22I) Movie: "Beach Red"			National Geographic Explorer					All Family	Help		
(23J) Score Card		Sportsmans' Out. Trail	Kurt Wolf	Arena		Final Score	Gambler	Ring Rap			
(24K) Gadget	Looney Tunes		Patty Duke	For Daddy	Car 54	Sat. Nite	SCTV	Laugh-In	My 3 Sons		
(26M) Miami Vice		Movie: "The Deer Hunter"									
(27N) POWs in Enemy Hands		Hemingway	All Creatures			Nancy Wilson Live		Buffalo Bill	Maxwell		
(29P) Movie: "The Princess Bride"			Movie: "Hot to Trot"					On Location: Goldilocks	Guns		
(31R) Willy Wonka & Chocolate		Great Expectations				The Boys of Summer		Ozzie			
(32S) Police Story		Movie: "Fatal Vision"				News	Benny Hill	Best of Arsenio Hall			
(34U) Movie: "Fletch" Cont'd	Threat	Movies	Star Search			News		Monsters	Trapper		

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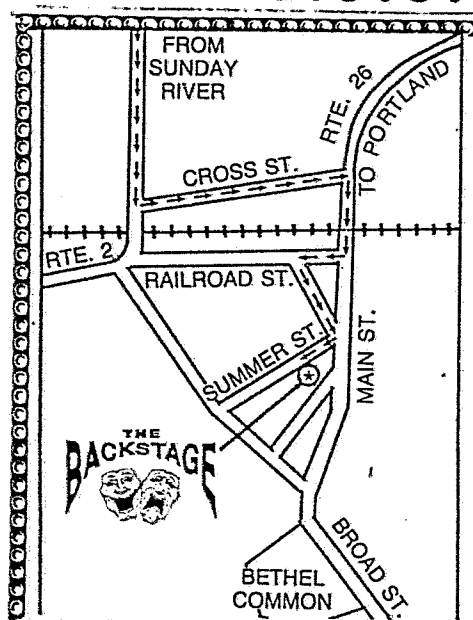
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MONDAY EVENING JULY 10, 1989

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Dirty Dancing: Live in Concert				H's Heroes	H's Heroes	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere
(4)	Monitor	Portraits	Animals	Explorers	Wonders	Wildlife	American Album	Space Exp.	Energy	
(5)	Father Murphy		Movie: "My Side of the Mountain"				700 Club		Paper Chase	
(6)	Cosby	Cheers	ALF	Hogans	Movie: "Hands of a Stranger"				News	Tonight
(7)	Affair	Kate & Allie	MacGyver		Movie: "Dr. No"				News	Nightline
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer		Adventure		American Masters	The Golden Years?	No Place	Served		
(9)	HeartBeat		Spenser: For Hire		Movie: "Poker Alice"				Spenser: For Hire	
(10)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now		VideoCountry		Country	Be a Star	Crook	
(11)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Kate & Allie	Heartland	Brown	Design W.	Newhart	Doctor	News	Pat Sajak
(12)	Cheers	INN News	Movie: "The Bedroom Window"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner
(13)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews				Larry King Live	Headline News	Moneyline	Sports
(14)	Yum Tree	Something Completely Different					Movie: "A Fish Called Wanda"		Movie: "The Missionary"	
(15)	Minor League Baseball	Scranton Red Barons at Pawtucket Red Sox					Boston		Week/Dir	Big Wheel
(16)	SportsCtr.	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball Roundtable		Major League Baseball All-Star Salute		SportsCtr.	
(17)	Griffith	Griffith	Movie: "Jacqueline Susann's Valley of the Dolls"							
(18)	America's Business	Money Talks			Business Tonight		Focus	Spec. Int.	MoneyTalk	
(19)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	For Daddy	Car 54	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	My 3 Sons
(20)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote		WWF Prime Time Wrestling					
(21)	Chronicle	Survival	Living Planet: Earth		Spaceflight		French Revolution		Bud Cort at the Improv	
(22)	Nature	Encyclopedia	Movie: "Flashdance"				Movie: "Christine"		Crypt Tales	
(23)	"Charlotte's Web"		Great Expectations				Big Bands: Buddy Rich	Ozzie	Love Me?	
(24)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	Movie: "Fatal Vision"				News	It's a Living	Arsenio H.	
(25)	Griffith	Benson	Movie: "The Blues Brothers"				News	Darkside	Magnum	

TUESDAY EVENING JULY 11, 1989

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "Jacqueline Bouvier Kennedy"						M*A*S*H	Elsewhere
(4)	Monitor	Rendezvous	Adventure	Travelers	Beyond 2000		Nature	Noah's Ark	Testament	
(5)	Father Murphy		Movie: "Off Limits"						Paper Chase	
(6)	Cosby	Cheers	All-Star Game						News	Carson
(7)	Affair	Kate & Allie	Boss?	Wonder	Roseanne	Coach	thirtysomething		News	Nightline
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer		Nova		Struggle for Democracy	They're Doing My Time			Concerts	Innovation
(9)	HeartBeat		Spenser: For Hire		Movie: "The Violation of Sarah McDavid"				Spenser: For Hire	
(10)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now		VideoCountry		Country	Be a Star	Crook	
(11)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	CBS Summer Playhouse		Movie: "Sadie and Son"				News	Pat Sajak
(12)	Cheers	INN News	Movie: "Psycho II"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner
(13)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews				Larry King Live		Moneyline	Sports
(14)	"Good Neighbor Sam"		Movie: "Murphy's Romance"				Movie: "Moonstruck"			
(15)	Paddle Tennis: Mens Doubles				Pro Beach Volleyball				Rugby Championship	Tennis
(16)	SportsCtr.		Cycling: Tour de France		Top Rank Boxing: Tracy Spann vs. Elvis Perez				Sports	SportsCtr.
(17)	Griffith	Griffith	Movie: "The Undeclared"						Movie: "War Wagon"	
(18)	America's Business	Money Talks			Business Tonight		Focus	Spec. Int.	MoneyTalk	
(19)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	For Daddy	Car 54	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	My 3 Sons
(20)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "The Blade Master"					
(21)	Chronicle	Survival	John L. Lewis		Movie: "Danton"					
(22)	Tanner '88	Tanner '88			Movie: "Mr. North"					
(23)	"The Karate Kid" Cont'd		Great Expectations				Into Madness		Movie: "The Great Outdoors"	
(24)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	Hunter				Loretta and Crystal: Going Home	Monroe		
(25)	Griffith	Benson	Movie: "The Facts of Life Goes to Paris"				News	INN News	Darkside	Magnum

WEDNESDAY EVENING JULY 12, 1989

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Newhart	Movie: "Marcelino"				H's Heroes	H's Heroes	M*A*S*H	Elsewhere
(4)	Monitor	Celebrate	Equinox	AC Clarke	Motorcar		Secrets of Nature	Money Slaves		
(5)	Father Murphy		Movie: "Peace Is Our Profession"				700 Club		Paper Chase	
(6)	Cosby	Cheers	Unsolved Mysteries	Night Court	Knight		Miami Vice		News	Tonight
(7)	Affair	Kate & Allie	False Witness				China Beach		News	Nightline
(8)	MacNeil/Lehrer		Live From Lincoln Center							
(9)	HeartBeat		Spenser: For Hire		Movie: "Promises in the Dark"				Special Operations	
(10)	Top Card	Crook	Nashville Now		Celebrities Offstage		Country	Be a Star	Crook	
(11)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Jake and the Fatman				Wiseguy		News	Pat Sajak
(12)	Cheers	INN News	Movie: "Psycho III"				INN News	Odd Couple	Cheers	H'mooner
(13)	Moneyline	Crossfire	PrimeNews				Larry King Live		Moneyline	Sports
(14)	"From the Hip" Cont'd		Movie: "White Nights"							
(15)	Wrestling: WWF Championship Wrestling				Motorcycle Racing: Loudon Classic					
(16)	SportsCtr.	Tractor Pull	Minor League Baseball: AAA All-Star Game						Baseball's	SportsCtr.
(17)	Griffith	Griffith	Prince's Trust Gala							
(18)	America's Business	Money Talks			Business Tonight		Focus	Spec. Int.	MoneyTalk	
(19)	Gadget	Looney	Mister Ed	Patty Duke	For Daddy	Car 54	Sat. Night	SCTV	Laugh-In	My 3 Sons
(20)	Miami Vice		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Hardbodies"					
(21)	Chronicle	Survival	Battle Line	20th Cent.	Return to Two Jims		Decades: '60s		Evening at the Improv	
(22)	Tanner '88	Tanner '88	Movie: "The Big Easy"				Crypt Tales	Not News	One Night	Traveling
(23)	"Looking for Miracles"		Sidekicks	Danger Bay	Movie: "Chisum"				Ozzie	The Swan
(24)	Cosby	Kate & Allie	False Witness						It's a Living	Arsenio H.
(25)	Griffith	Benson	Movie: "Superman III"				News	Darkside	Magnum	

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West Greenwood

By CAROLYN COLBY

Mona Lowe was in No. Conway, N.H., for a couple of days last week while Katrina Lowe was in the hospital. Bob, Jane Rolfe and Mona's mother, Frances Farnum, were on their way back from picking strawberries in Denmark when they saw a moose near the Bumpus mine and a bear at the Greenwood/Albany line.

There are three new dogs in the neighborhood: two shepherds named Cassie and Ferguson and a lab/springer named Bear. They are all five to six months old.

Bear is ours. When I put her out for her last trip one night, we could hear the strangest noise. As near as I could describe it would be a duck being attacked. Leslie Moore says Marc has checked out similar noises in the past and found it to be porcupines.

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Helen Perry. Many from the neighborhood had her for a teacher and have good memories of her classes. Brian particularly enjoyed their discussions on baseball.

Lately I've been noticing with pleasure the number of elms that are growing vigorously. It was heartbreaking when all the big old trees went down with Dutch elm disease several years ago.

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Keith Wight, son of Stephen and Margaret Wight, of Sunday River Road, Newry, recently received a bachelor of science degree, cum laude, at the 123rd Bates College commencement.

A biology major, Wight was a dean's list student and was elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa, the nation's oldest and most prestigious academic honor society. He participated in the Woods Hole Sea Semester Program in Woods Hole, Mass., and studied marine ecology in Washington State. Wight was an active member of the Outing Club, serving as cabins and trails director and helped maintain 13 miles of the Appalachian Trail. He is the recipient of the Harold Norris Godspeed Jr. award for service to the Outing Club.

Wight is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School.

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PO1 KIME TO INDEPENDENCE

Navy Petty Officer 1st Class Kennard A. Kime, son of Geneva M. and Daniel T. Kime Sr. of West Paris, recently reported for duty aboard the aircraft carrier USS Independence, homeported in San Diego, Calif.

A 1989 graduate of National University, San Diego, Calif., with an Associate of Arts degree, he joined the Navy in October 1980.

Northwest Bethel

By CLARICE GIBSON

Another week gone by and July 4 will be here and gone by the time this is in the paper. When I was about 10 and living in Stoneham, the next door neighbor's daughter (Maggie Murphy) had been saving their cans for weeks to put on the folks' lawn the night before July 4. The Murphys had either seven or eight children so don't know who else of the children were in on it. At that time Dad was probably 30 and Mom about 28 and they got wind of it so they got up afterwards and picked them up and took them back to Murphy's and dumped them on their lawn. These were the kind of pranks that were pulled when I was a child—not anything that would hurt people.

The stork is still hanging around as well as, Wednesday, a moose was eating from the river for about an hour in front of the house at the end of the island. Understand a lot of moose are being seen in the Bethel area.

Becky Shaw signed Jon and Jen in for swimming lessons. Heather Keniston went to Lewiston to see "Choochbustlers."

George, Frankie and Theresa Gibson went June 27 to see "Honey, I Shrank the Children," in Lewiston.

Shelby and Josie McKnight stayed Saturday evening June 24 with their cousins, Jon and Jen Shaw, while their

parents, Dr. Lennie and Becky Shaw, went to Golden Maple, Gorham, N.H., to celebrate their 14th wedding anniversary, which was June 22.

June 22, Sylvia Benson went into Stephens Memorial Hospital to have her hand operated on. She spent that night with daughter Sharon and David Kimball, Waterford, and came back Friday. June 24, Sylvia Benson picked up sisters Dot Everett, Paris Hill, Shirley Bonney, No. Paris, Judy Small, Hebron, Helen Hallowell, Leeds, and went to Augusta Legion Hall to a reception for Sylvia's grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Benson, who were married last month in New Jersey. Friends and relatives wanted a reception here in Maine.

Fern and Bradley Benson came for dinner June 25 to Sylvia Benson's and after went to Black Mountain in Sumner to Frank Benson's folks' graves and then to Frank's sisters in West Peru.

Dick and Sue Angevine and Tim had his folks, Ernest and Alberta Angevine, for a cookout June 25.

A family get-together was held June 25 at Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy's, Bridge Street, for their granddaughter, Terry Terry and her sister-in-law, Bunny Brown, left for Germany June 21.

Terry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mason, brother Chuckie Mason and family, sister Carol Mason, uncle Frank and Sid Murphy from our road, brother

David Mason and family, aunt Joyce Stearns, cousin Debbie Seames and family, uncle Roy and Dot Murphy, Bethel, cousin Patty Murphy and her daughter Amanda, Bridgeton, brother Scott Mason and family, Rumford, sister Melinda Matthew and son Stephen Bishop, Norway, uncle Jim and Marge Murphy, Tennessee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bishop, Bucksport, and Pastor John Clanton.

Don, Karen and Matthew Bean went to Orono June 17 to the State Class C Championship and saw Telstar beat Blue Hill. Nathan Bean was the captain, and he presented the trophy they received to Ted Davis, June 26.

June 27, Kristin, Theresa Gibson and I went to Bucknell's, Denmark, to pick strawberries. We met Kristin's mother, Marsha Greene, there and Kristin went into Norway with her mother. Thursday afternoon Kristin and I made jam after Frankie, Theresa and I got back from Lewiston.

I see they have torn down the ell of Let Butters' old place and have been bulldozing and leveling off around the house. June 24, Kristin, Frankie and I went to Kittery Trading Post to pick up Theresa Gibson as Grace brought her up from Gardner, Mass. We ate at Cole's Farm, in Gray.

Many faults in our neighbors should be of less consequence to us than one of the smallest in ourselves.

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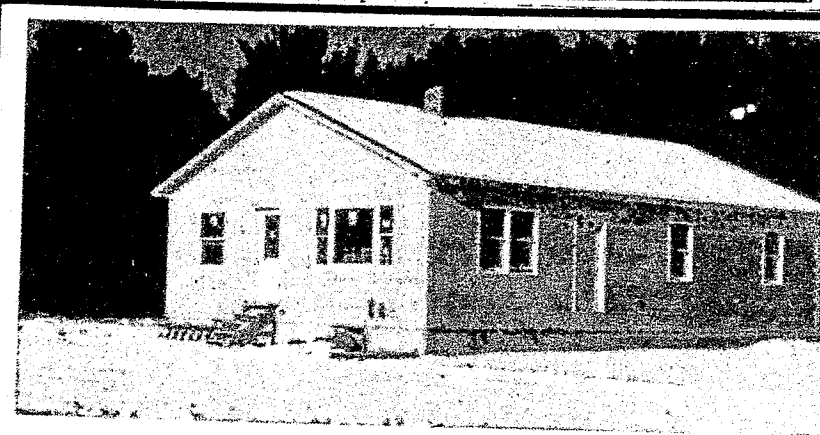
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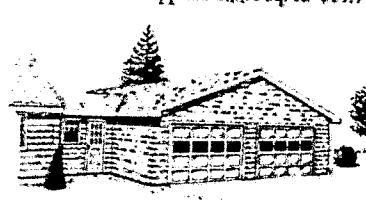
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Health Center

The Bethel Area Health Center is sponsoring a non-fasting cholesterol screening clinic on Thursday, July 13, 2-4 p.m. To avoid delay at the time of screening, it is recommended that individuals call or stop by the health center to set up an appointment time.

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At this screening, blood pressure will also be checked. Individuals with high blood pressure will be referred for follow up with their family physician.

Cholesterol can be affected by diet. Information about ways to cut down on cholesterol in the diet will be discussed with each participant.

Smoking is a cause of heart disease and information about smoking cessation programs will be available.

Heart disease can be hereditary. A person is more likely to develop heart disease if he or she has a close family member who has had a heart attack. Everyone will receive a copy of their cholesterol level.

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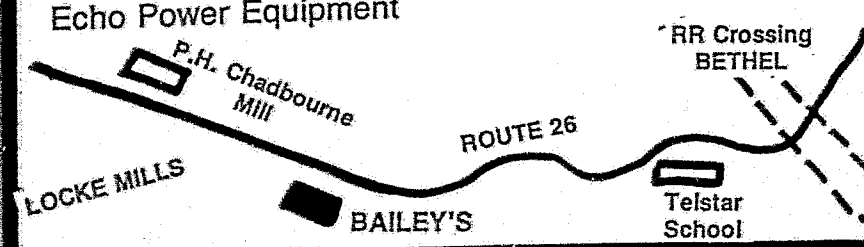
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Locke Mills

By LORRAINE MILLS

The Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary meeting was cancelled for the month of June due to the surgery of the president, Flossie Bernier. The next meeting is scheduled for July 25.

Lora Noyes has a Christmas cactus with nine blossoms. Either the plant has to get its act together or change its name.

Joe Gross and Cindy, Troy and Kelly Lord have returned from a week's vacation upcountry. I took care of their cat and was concerned because in the whole week I never saw him; but not a half-hour had gone by once they got home before he appeared, apparently out of nowhere. I took him to the vet's once when he was small and he's obviously never forgiven me. I'm not sure how much of the food he got but I sure used enough. No doubt skunks and roaming dogs or cats got their share. Skunks around my house ever come to the door for a handout if they get really hungry.

Vickie Hughes returned home to Rumford Sunday after spending some time with John and Lorraine Mills.

I hear my son-in-law Jon Smith will be presenting a concert at the Bethel Church of the Nazarene Saturday evening July 15. Come if you can. He's pretty good, even if I am prejudiced.

Lillian Herrick and I attended a meeting of the Tri-Town dispatchers Thursday evening at the 101 Barn in West Paris. We were pleased to welcome Donna Downs to the dispatchers. She's going to be a busy lady as she is going to be an ambulance driver and a member of the auxiliary, plus she goes full-time to

school during the winter. We certainly can use her on the dispatchers as we were short to start with and then Keith Wintermute left last week for Salt Lake City, Utah. We wish Keith all the best, but we are sure going to miss her. Kevin Mills was the only other dispatcher attending—several were on vacation this week.

John got a nice postcard from Roger Twitchell this week. He reports he has seen some beautiful country—caught a king salmon 33½ inches long and weighing 20 lbs., saw 140 antelope in one day in Wyoming and has seen moose, deer, bear, elk, mountain goat, dall sheep and bison in Yellowstone plus eagles. Says he's on his way toward Fairbanks and it sure beats punching a time clock. We are glad for them; they've earned it.

Joy Allan, Ontario, Calif., is here this week visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Fuller.

In all fairness I have to add a comment to my discourse last week about the closing of the roadside accesses to the ponds. Someone pointed out—and rightly so—that there are always people who will abuse a privilege, and some of the people who live around the ponds are understandably tired of the noise, beer bottles, dirty diapers and other inconsiderate behavior of some of those using these places. I sympathize, but not having walked a mile in their shoes I still think I'd rather try to discourage the undesirable element (which I hope are

Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

There will be a public supper on Sunday, July 8, to benefit Larry Whitman, at the Grange Hall, Bryant Pond. Time 5:30-8:30 p.m. Beans, chop suey, salads, rolls, dessert, coffee or punch.

Mrs. Donna Reed and children visited her grandmother, Helen Ring, on Wednesday and Thursday.

Persis Moores, P.G.C., and Linda Newcomb, G. Prot., Eastport, of the Grand Temple Pythian Sisters of Maine, have been guests of Evelyn T. Bean and have been inspecting temples in the area.

Irene Howe, Alaska, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howe, is visiting her parents for two weeks; she leaves for home July 11.

in the minority) and instead enjoy watching people, especially children, having a good time. Unfortunately (or fortunately, if you are privileged to have children and grandchildren) noise and children go together like bees in a beehive, but we should outgrow that as we get older; the noise of children playing is like music to the ears. Enjoy.

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THIS WEEK AT THE
Moses Mason House

Over 50 members of the Mason family from Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts attended the first Mason Family gathering, held in Bethel Saturday, July 1, in honor of the 200th anniversary of Dr. Moses Mason's birth. Held in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, family members enjoyed tours of the Dr. Moses Mason House Museum and a slide presentation by Society Director Stanley R. Howe on the Mason family in the Bethel area. Elizabeth Mason Carter served at the registration desk and assisted many of those attending with genealogical research. Also assisting with tours and/or refreshments were Judy Haskell, Millie Thomas, Persis Post and Betty Lord. Plans call for another reunion in 1990 to be held on the first week in July.

The Mason Family gathering marked the launching of the 1989 season of the Dr. Moses Mason House Museum. The house will be open each day except Monday, 1-4 p.m., and by appointment. Special exhibits this summer include one on the anniversary of Dr. Mason's birth and "Curator's Choice," a selection of items relating to the Silver family of North Rumford.

All members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the annual picnic will be held Thursday, July 6, at the home of Geraldine and Rodney Howe, on Intervale Road, beginning at 6 p.m. Those attending are urged to bring a picnic lunch and insect repellent. The picnic will be held (weather permitting) on the lawn around the cemetery, which commands a magnificent view of the White Mountains. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. and include a dedication of a marker to Benjamin Russell Sr. and his wife, Mary Lefavre, who were born in Andover, Mass., in 1739. They later migrated to Fryeburg, in the 1760s, and came to what is today Bethel, in 1779, and settled on the land where the picnic will be held. Russell was the first town clerk; the present town clerk, Merton T. Brown, will officially dedicate the monument, which has been made possible through donations from descendants of the Russells. Mr. Brown will make some remarks about town clerks and a sheet with brief biographies of Bethel's 29 town clerks will be distributed to all those attending. Copies of the new reprint of the 1938 History of Fryeburg will be available from members of the Fryeburg Historical Society, who will also be present. Anyone interested in attending is cordially invited to do so.

Every year several hundred students visit the Dr. Moses Mason House for education programs. Last month, 5th Grade students from Crescent Park visited. A sampling of their reactions follows: Kevin Marshall, "Thank you for the tour of the Moses Mason House. I enjoyed it very much. I especially liked the winter kitchen. I learned that people of that time worked very hard." Clinton Wakefield, "I really enjoyed looking around, especially at the spinning wheel. The wool was very soft. Thanks for letting us visit; it was a lot of fun. The slides were very nice also. Thanks again, it was the best time I've had all year. I learned that they had two kitchens, not just one." Chuck Mason, "I liked the cannon ball and I really liked going through the house and the portraits on the wall. I really liked the walking stick." Lydia Grover, "I really enjoyed seeing the Moses Mason House. Thank you for letting us come. It was really neat. I never knew that Broad Street used to be called Straw Street because the Straw sisters

lived there. I also didn't know that Bethel used to have a lamp lighter. I thought that all the antiques were in very good shape, especially the portraits. I really liked the antlers and the murals. Hillary Harrison, "Thank you very much for the tour and the slides. I mostly enjoyed going through the house and learning how they boiled water and what tools were used in the kitchen." Briana Wilson, "Thanks for letting us come to the Moses Mason House. It was really neat learning about the history of Bethel. The thing I liked the best was the niece's bedroom. I would love to have a bedroom like that." Ben Fogg, "Thank you for the tour and the slide show. I learned a lot. I didn't know about the foot warmer and the summer and winter kitchens. I loved the murals on the walls, and especially the antler hat rack." Amanda Gilbert, "Thank you for letting us come and tour the Moses Mason House. I especially enjoyed going through the house. It made me feel like I wanted to live in it. Most of all I enjoyed their niece's bedroom. I had a great time!" Alex Gillies, "Thanks a lot! I liked the slide show and your tour a lot. I learned a lot. All the tools they used were very interesting, especially the stick you see a picture in." Jarrod S. Crockett, "I liked the tour. It was neat. I learned a lot. I'm almost sure it took a lot of work from you and Ms. Newcomb." Quentin Hathaway, "I really enjoyed the trip. It was really interesting. I liked it because it told us a lot about the past. I didn't have a favorite thing. I just liked it all. I thought everything you showed us was real neat. I've really enjoyed it the few times we've been there. I hope we can go again before the year's out." Katy Mullen, "I thank you for giving us a tour of the Moses Mason House. I learned that there were a lot of tools for different things. I really liked the master bedroom, the niece's room and the room where they spent most of the time in the winter to keep warm. I love wood work for chairs." David Buck, "Thank you for letting us tour the Moses Mason House. I thought the slide show was pretty good and I also thought the tour of the house was cool. The best place I liked was the upstairs murals that were painted on the wall." Jessica Coolidge, "I am really glad that you let the 5th Grade come to the Moses Mason House. It was really fun. I learned about the different rooms and what they were used for, and about the different tools and things used back then. I thought that the murals were pretty. I also enjoyed the slide show." Anneliese Bass, "Thank you for putting up with us yesterday. I really enjoyed the slide talk and tour. I thought the tool for breaking bean pods was neat. I thought the murals were terrific. I wish I had a mural in my room. When I saw the niece's room I wanted to have a room just like it. I had never seen a foot warmer before, and at first I thought it was a candle lantern. I loved the pictorial bookcase. I think I would have liked to live in that time better than now. (If I could live past 40.) Thanks a lot."

LOOKING BACKWARD
10 Years Ago: Red Cross swim classes were being held at Songo Pond. The annual picnic of the Bethel Historical Society was held at the Middle Intervale Meeting House, where the program focused on its history. Arson was suspected in an early morning fire that leveled Riverside Store, on Rte. 28.
20 Years Ago: Governor Kenneth M. Curtis signed legislation to provide \$7,000 for marking the Maine/New Hampshire border.
Deaths: Daryl L. Frazier, Scott W. Swan, Eva L. Blake.
Marriages: William Robinson and Yvonne Sweetser; Ronald B. Brown and Brenda Saunders; Leroy Patten, Jr. and Ann R. Mills.
Deaths: Ella H. Powers, Michael L. Rolfe, Lillian Kimball Clark, Myron E. Morrill.
30 Years Ago: Dixie Lee Brown, daughter of Richard and Doris Brown, was among 2,000 teenage delegates to the 1959 National Convention of Future Homemakers of America, in Chicago.
Marriages: Richard Gould and Mary R. Whitney.
Deaths: Betty Burns Thurston, Ralph S. Osgood, Raymond K. Cummings.
40 Years Ago: Little disturbance was reported in Bethel over the 4th. The directional sign at the foot of Main Street was damaged by a bonfire. Gerald Gushing, a native of West Bethel, was elected superintendent of School Union 36, which included the towns of Phillips, Avon, Kingfield, Madrid and Strong. Ronald Kendall, Charles Smith and Donald Croteau were delegates from Bethel to Driggs Boys State at Orono.
Births: Michael Don Witter, Howard V. Chapman.
Marriages: Ernest Perkins and Elizabeth Trenholm.



TELSTAR BASEBALL TEAM CAPTAIN NATHAN BEAN presented the State Class C Championship trophy and plaque to Principal Ted Davis at the recent school board meeting. The Rebels won the championship trophy last month in the state finals, played at Orono.

THOUGHTS FROM THE
Pastor's Study

The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations. Not based on any set theme, they will be individual for each pastor. It is hoped you will find in these words, comfort and help for your daily life.

"The whole law is fulfilling in one word, 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'" Galatians 5:14

The call to love our neighbors as ourselves not only appears frequently in the Gospels and Paul's letters, but also in Leviticus (19:18) in the Old Testament. This "new law" has been set before people down through the ages even to our own age.

We have heard in recent years that we cannot love others unless we love ourselves, but that is backwards. Actually, we cannot love ourselves unless we love others. It is when we see our neighbors to be both loveable and also like ourselves that we can see ourselves as loveable. If beneath all those annoying patterns, we know that we are all

loveable people, we will begin to behave in more loving ways.

What might this mean in the Bethel area? In our community we have our steady neighbors, winter skier neighbors, and now our summer NTL neighbors. While we are doing our daily work and growing vegetables and flowers, our NTL friends are growing new ways of looking at themselves, others, and their work. They are vulnerable. In them we may recognize our own vulnerability and our own desire to grow. We can express our good will (love) towards them in our own ways and even be grateful when they give us a chance to chuckle. We are enriched by their diversity even as they are enriched by our way of life, our values, our steadiness and our faith. May we all discover in our neighbors our common loveable humanity.

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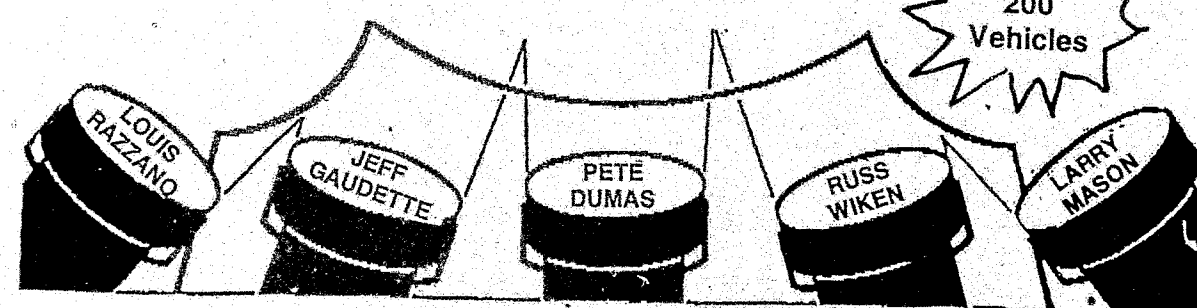
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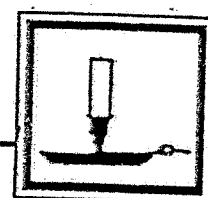
Oral anti-inflammatory medicines, such as *ibuprofen*, *piroxicam*, *naproxen*, and *aspirin*, are commonly prescribed to help relieve the immobility and pain associated with arthritis. Many who use oral anti-inflammatory medicines experience gastrointestinal irritation and bleeding as a result of using these medicines. These effects are often bothersome and can be potentially dangerous. According to a new study conducted by the National Center for Health Services Research, current users of the *non-steroidal oral anti-inflammatory medicines* are four times more likely to die from peptic ulcers or problems associated with gastrointestinal bleeding than are non-users of these medicines.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration has approved a new prescription drug which may prevent or minimize the gastrointestinal problems of the anti-inflammatory medicines. The new drug, *misoprostol*, is thought to combat stomach ulcers by reducing the secretion of acid into the stomach and, also, by replacing substances called prostaglandins, which the anti-inflammatory medicines are thought to deplete. Prostaglandins are naturally occurring substances that are thought to provide protection to the stomach lining.

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Obituaries

HELEN C. BERRY

Helen C. Berry, 59, died early Thursday morning, June 29, 1989, at her home on Lane Pine Road, Newry, after a long illness.

She was born in Arlington, Mass., Dec. 7, 1929, the daughter of Clarence and Anne Bowden Conroy. She received a B.A. degree from Colby College in 1951. She married Francis "Hi" Berry on Aug. 18, 1956. Mrs. Berry was a teacher in Bethel schools for 25 years, retiring in 1988. The 1976 Telstar High School Yearbook was dedicated to her and she was honored twice as Teacher of the Year. She was also the drama coach for many years. She was a member of the National Education Association, the Maine Teachers Association and the local teacher organization. She also served as a trustee for the Bethel Library.

She is survived by her husband of Newry; her father, Clarence Conroy of Bethel; two daughters, Mrs. Denise Roderick and Mrs. Marjorie Osgood, both of Newry; two sons, David F. and E. Scott, both of Newry; and six grandchildren.

Private funeral service will be held at the convenience of the family at the Greenleaf Funeral Home, Bethel. Interment will be in the Powers Cemetery, Newry. In lieu of flowers, those who wish may make a donation in her memory to the Bethel Library Association, c/o John Read, Bethel, 04217.

EMIL JOSEPH FAUCHER

Emil Joseph Faucher, 84, of Hanover, husband of Virginia Chasson Faucher, died unexpectedly Wednesday, June 28, 1989, shortly after arrival at Rumford Community Hospital.

Born April 4, 1905, at St. Ange, Quebec, Canada, he was the son of Napoleon and Vitaline LaFontaine Faucher. He was educated in Canadian schools. A resident of the greater Rumford area most of his life, he was a communicant of St. Athanasius-St. John Church. He was retired from the finishing room and the coaters of the Oxford Paper Company with more than 40 years of service. Mr. Faucher was a member of both the 25- and 40-year clubs of retired Oxford employees.

Survivors, besides his wife of 52 years, of Hanover, are four sons, Emil Faucher Jr., John Faucher and Donald Faucher, all of Fairbanks, Alaska, and Denis Faucher of Hanover; three daughters, Mrs. Louis (Claudette) Mahar of Summersworth, N.H., Virginia Faucher of Sydney, and Mrs. Larry (Sandra) Holly of Rochester, N.Y.; one brother, Phillip Faucher of Frampton, Quebec, Canada; two sisters, Mary Louise Mercier of Rumford, and Clarinda Randcourt of Cranbury, Quebec, Canada; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Friday, June 29, at St. Athanasius-St. John Church. Burial was in Hanover Cemetery.

RUBY I. HUSTON

Ruby I. Huston, 90, of Bryant Pond, died Tuesday, June 27, 1989, at Market Square Health Care Facility, South Paris, where she had resided since July 1988.

She was born at Greenwood on July 21, 1898, the daughter of George and Iva Estes Bryant. She was educated in Auburn schools and she married Lewis D. Huston; he died in 1951.

She lived for most of her life in the Bryant Pond area and raised several foster children. She also worked as a practical nurse, caring for many people in the area. In earlier years she was a cook and chambermaid at Bill Bryant's Camps in Wilson's Mills. She also worked for David Ladd as a cook in lumber camps in western Maine.

Mrs. Huston moved from Bryant Pond to South Paris in the early 1970s to live with a granddaughter, Celia Faine, of Elm Hill, until she went into the nursing home.

Survivors include a son, Gerald D. Huston of Fitzgerald, Ga.; two sisters, Abbie Valley of West Bethel, and Olive Kalin of Bayonne, N.J.; and four grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. She was predeceased by a son, Clark Huston, who died on Dec. 12, 1970.

Funeral services were held Friday, June 30, from the Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, with interment at the Pinegrove Cemetery in South Paris.

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At Andover...

Elderwood Manor Items

by Florence Hall

Elizabeth Sennett and daughter Charlotte Hayes, Thomaston, were overnight guests at Birch Hills Cottages, Woodstock, N.H., recently.

Catherine McGuire was the only bus rider to Rumford from the Manor on Tuesday.

Sincere sympathy is extended by Elderwood Manor tenants to the loved ones in the death of Wendell Chandler. Elizabeth Sennett and Dorothy Elliott were taken shopping with Mrs. Moulton on Wednesday.

Catherine McGuire is at the farm for the July 4th holiday.

Nancy Fox and friend, Bethel, called on Anne Fox recently.

Thought for the day: Politics has got so expensive that it takes a lot of money even to get beat with. Will Rogers

Calvary Congregational Church
Rev. Donald Grover's message: "The Lord's Supper," 1 Cor. 11:23-29, an invitation in honor of the Lord Jesus, 1 Cor. 11:25 "For as often as ye eat this bread, and drink this cup, ye do share the Lord's death till he come." Communion was held following the service. Missionary moments: the Pastor shared a letter from "Biblical Ministries Worldwide" South Africa. Morning Hymn of Praise: "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee."

Pastor and Mrs. Grover will be on vacation July 9 and 10. Albert Buzell will be our guest speaker on these Sundays.

V. B. S. is held this week 9-11:30 a.m. Crafts, lessons of Joseph, puppets, etc. Closing program will be Friday following supper for everyone.

Many persons might have attained to wisdom, had they not assumed that they already possessed it. Seneca

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Bethel

Gould Academy classmates of the year 1938 met at the home of Geraldine (Stanley) Howe on the Middle Intervale Road, Saturday, June 24.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Jane (Chapin) Sullivan, Mrs. Elaine (Warren) Rogers, of Portland, Mrs. Ethel (Jodrey) Robillard, of South Windham, Mrs. Helen (Crouse) Burgess, of Springvale, Miss Nancy Philbrook, of Shelburne, N.H., Mrs. Christie (Thurston) Knight, of Rumford, Mrs. Phyllis (Hunt) Roberts, of Andover, and from Bethel, Mrs. Jessie (Brooks) Fairbanks.

Births

Sp4 James A. and Lynn Cobb, of Lawton, Okla., are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, James Raymond Cobb, born on June 14, weighing 7 lbs., 14 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Seames. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James P. Cobb.

He joins a sister, Elise.

Rick and Marcey Merrill, of Songo Pond, are pleased to announce the arrival of a baby boy, Joshua Allen Merrill, born on June 23, at 12:32 a.m., at Stephens Memorial Hospital, weighing 7 lbs., 11 ozs.

Maternal grandparents are Kenneth and Patricia Jodrey, of Andover and Rumford.

Paternal grandparents are Warren Merrill, of Bethel, and Patricia Foster, of Portland.

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By MYRA FOSTER

Arthur Hertell wishes to thank all the people who helped him when he had his accident: his neighbors, friends, the Bethel Ambulance service, and those who sent cards and gifts also. All was greatly appreciated.

Scott Haines and friend, of Manchester, N.H., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines, last weekend. Robert Hastings has returned from Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway after a 10-day stay there for treatment and tests.

Mrs. Fay Kimball and Mrs. Flossie Borneier were in Norway shopping, June 26.

Mrs. Richard Stearns took me shopping June 23. In the evening, Mrs. Jo Tyler picked me up and we went to Brunswick, where we enjoyed the play "Brigadoon." It was very good. Mrs. Reba Wilnot, of Auburn, also went with us. We had dinner at Bonanza in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster, of Andover, visited June 24 and took Albert and me to the Mexican restaurant in Bethel for lunch. Then they took me down to Rumford Corner to visit Mr. and Mrs. Rick Westleigh for dinner and cards. Mrs. Richard Stearns, of Rumford Corner, and I visited Mrs. Clara Hamlin in South Waterford Sunday June 25. We had lunch at the Cliffside Restaurant, in North Conway, N.H.

AIDS PROGRAM TONIGHT

The second meeting of the Community AIDS Awareness program will take place today, July 5, at 7 p.m., in the Franklin Savings Bank building, on Congress Street, Rumford. Town officials, educators, medical personnel and all interested citizens from Bryant Pond to Newry, Hanover and Locke Mills are invited to join members of the other 13 towns that are involved.

ON U. OF MAINE DEAN'S LIST

The University of Maine Dean's List for the 1988 spring semester includes the names of Todd Andrew Davis, Samuel Savage McGee and Eric John Wright, all of Bethel; Daniel Marc Barton, of Bryant Pond; and Edward Samuel Burns, Jacqueline Marie Perkins and Glenn Francis Sheehan, all of Hanover.

BOWDOIN DEAN'S LIST

Delwin C. Wilson III, '92, of Bryant Pond, made Dean's List at Bowdoin College for the spring semester. He also earned high honors in all of his courses.

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Community Calendar

Saturday, July 8: Summer Biathlon Championships, at Gould Academy, 10 a.m.

28th annual Mineral, Gem, & Jewelry Festival, Oxford County Fair Grounds, Rt. 26, Oxford, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

Lakes Association meeting, at Woodstock School, 10 a.m.

Bethel Farmers' Market opens, off Rte. 2, across from The Norseman Inn, 9 a.m.-noon.

Public Turkey Supper, with homemade bread and strawberry shortcake, Oxford Grange Hall, Rte. 26, Welchville, 5-8:30 p.m.; \$4/\$2.

Olde Fashioned Dance, with Richard Felt & Co., at the Oxford Grange Hall, Rte. 26, Welchville, 8 p.m.-midnight; \$4.

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